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AND GLASS BASE MATERIAL FOR OPTICAL FIBER

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## SUBMISSION OF DECLARATION

Sir:

Submitted herewith is the signed declaration for the above-identified patent application.

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